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Subject: Notes from 4pm call on 9/21 and 9/22

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Hi all.

I hope I got everyone's names on this email. I took the list from the CL roster. I KNOW THERE ARE PEOPLE MISSING FROM THE ROSTER. Please remind all new CLs to put their names in the roster on the OneDrive.

I was driving so I don't have notes from the 9/20 call at 4pm, but here are some quick notes from 9/21 and 9/22.

September 21

Alpha Branch

o CLs went to a city in San Patricio County that wasn't too badly affected. There are new people coming in that are getting oriented and shadowing.

• Bravo Branch

- o Sidrah put together a spreadsheet for the Bravo Counties that can hold the tasks that the first team couldn't get to. She hopes that the Team Origins CLs will populate it with ideas for what they thought needed to be addressed.
- o Sheila and Bill survived a rainstorm during travels to a meeting.
- o Gloria went to a Health Fair that wasn't as well attended as previous ones.
- o Team Harris thinks Jewish Community Centers could be good places to reach out to. They tried to go to one and it was closed that day. Might need to check online for hours before spending the time traveling to them.
- o A contact at Second Baptist Church stated that they helped clean up 4000 homes before they ran out of resources to do any more. They initially were using the wrong mask and one of their volunteers got sick. The volunteer's doctor told him about the N-95 masks and the Second Baptist Church replaced all the masks for their volunteers.
- o The Fort Bend/Austin/Colorado team observed an approved debris disposal site that has co-mingled debris. It is located adjacent to the Brazos River. Oil, paint cans, 55 gallon drums that were crushed and rusted were all mixed together and the runoff could flow into the river. The team took photos and planned to elevate this as a Hot Issue.

• Charlie Branch

- o Five new members in addition to four new Bravo members that are located in Beaumont (which is in Charlie Branch). They all are getting oriented and shadowing current CLs.
- o Jefferson County Team stated that there was a new group to coordinate with at the Lamar University. They also said that there is a Health Fair coming up on 9/30 in the county.
- o Carla is working on getting the EPA information to the Spanish Radio Network.

• <u>General</u>

- o Chris Villareal said that only two Superfund sites were in question as to whether they were impacted by Hurricane Harvey (US Oil and San Jacinto). If any residents are worried about a SF site in their area, the CLs should pass their info to Chris and he will have the SF EPA person who knows about that site contact the resident.
- o Sam stated that for demobilizing, CLs need to fill out both forms that were sent in the email. You do not need to send the forms to any individual, by sending to the general email address for that position, the correct person will get it.
- o All new CLs need to use the R7 form to document their time. Team Origins CLs should use it, but if not, then make sure you keep track of your hours worked in case of any audit.
- o There was a reminder that starting on Friday, CLs are only authorized to work 10 hour days and only 10 hours TOTAL over the weekend. Co-leads will be pushing for everyone to work Saturday and take Sunday off.

September 22

• Alpha Branch

- o Chris said that they went through the map and they feel that they have now gone to the places that they have to go and will now focus on places that were heavily impacted by Harvey.
- o New CLs arrived and will arrive tomorrow.

• Bravo Branch

- o Several new CLs arrived. Like the other new CLs, they are getting oriented and shadowing.
- o Paul (new CL) stated that he shadowed Sidrah and Christine (new-ish CLs) to a Catholic Church. They emphasized that people need to have the proper PPE when removing mold. They also went to a mosque, but no one was there. They will follow up with a phone call. They also went to one of the DRCs where

- there were lots of people. They provided handouts to the DRC.
- o Joan took Mitty and 3 new Charlie CLs (Tracy, Jim, and Ken) around the Whitewing/Nottingham Forest/Memorial Drive Acres neighborhoods to observe what the people are dealing with. There were a few trucks removing debris, but there is still a lot of HHW there. Some residents are paying private firms to remove their debris. One resident felt that this is what the city wanted, so that the city didn't have to pay for it. Another resident allowed the team to go into his home to observe the interior and to discuss the spray that needs to be put on in order to kill the mold completely.
- o Donette (new CL) shadowed Adolphus and Sherronda (new-ish CLs) as they went for a follow-up to the Wharton DRC. Residents going to this DRC are still concerned about drinking water and getting their wells tested. The 1st United Methodist community is also concerned about their well water. Additionally, they responded to a need for the septic handout in Spanish. The community of Sweeny is still dealing with water and there is a lot of debris there in low income neighborhoods.
- o This team also noticed that Team Rubicon workers (volunteers) had the proper masks while they worked on one house, but the homeowners did not have masks on.
- o They also informed two women who were cleaning at a church that they did not have the proper masks. They provided them handouts on the dangers of mold.

• <u>Charlie Branch</u>

- o Lots of new people in the branch, they are getting trained.
- o Mitty and three CLs (Tracy, Jim, and Ken) met with the Jasper/Newton team in Houston for the transfer of information.
- o LaTonya is demobilizing tomorrow and she and her team feel blessed to have been able to help in this project. Sam thanked them and everyone for their dedication to the people of Texas. Mitty thanked the Jefferson Team for all their help orienting and training the new CLs.

General

- o There was a reminder that starting on Friday (today), CLs are only authorized to work 10 hour days and only 10 hours TOTAL over the weekend. Co-leads will be pushing for everyone to work Saturday and take Sunday off.
- o Sam reminded people that the SharePoint/OneDrive site has useful information from Team Origins (ok, he didn't call us that...)
- o Chris stated that the SuperFund site information was forwarded to the SF EPA person and the resident was contacted.
- o Sam reminded the CLs that if you see a hot issue, write it up to elevate it.
- o Wenona put together a print order to send to Janetta. Co-leads or teams can

send her their requests. Chris and Mitty would like their handouts to go directly to their branches.

- UPDATE: Wenona called Janetta about the handouts, but Janetta had already placed an order. Janetta was going to let Wenona know how much of each fact sheet she ordered. Joan is still in Houston for one more day and will work to make sure that orders get placed for Alpha and Charlie.
- If you have a specific need, email it to Joan (Amy, I have yours).

Let me know if you have any questions.

-Joan

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